## SHIMOGA DISTRICT.

*Notification, dated 26th January 1896.*

The right to collect toll at the Toll-gate at Augumbi Ghat in the Tirthahalli Taluk from 1st July 1896 to 30th June 1897, will be sold by public auction in the Taluk Cutcherry at Tirthahalli, by the Deputy Commissioner or the Assistant Commissioner deputed for the purpose, on Monday the 6th April 1896; and at Hyder Ghar Ghat and Lakshmipur in the Nagar Taluk, by the Sub-Division Officer, Sagar, in the Taluk Cutcherry at Kallurkatte, Nagar Taluk, on Monday the 13th April 1896.

2. The Contractor who purchases the right can collect tolls at the rates mentioned in the accompanying schedule and no higher rates are leviable by him. He should conform himself to the rules published with the late Chief Commissioner's Notification No. 274, dated 4th November 1876. The Government property and the Government servants travelling on duty are exempt from the tolls.

3. The Deputy Commissioner reserves to himself the power of refusing or accepting the highest or any bid that may be offered.

4. The contract amount should be collected from the person whose bid is accepted, in eight equal instalments, two of which will be paid at once as deposit and appropriated towards the last two instalments, and the remaining six instalments will be paid monthly by the 20th of every month, commencing from 20th December 1896. He shall also furnish a surety for the regular payment of the monthly instalments.

5. If the deposit is not made and the surety is not furnished immediately after the close of the sale, the contract will be re-sold at the risk of the approved bidder. If default is made in the payment of the instalments, interest at one pie per rupee per month will be levied till the date of the payment, and the contract will also be liable to be sold again at the discretion of the Deputy Commissioner at the request of the surety, and the deficit, if any, will be recovered from the Contractor or the surety.

6. In addition to the amount bid for, the contractor is, subject to the conditions stated in paras 4 and 5, bound to pay local cess at one anna per rupee of the contract amount paid into the Treasury.

7. The Contractor is also bound to keep an account showing the daily collections, and it shall be open to inspection by the Taluk and District authorities.

8. The Contractor will have the use of Ghat toll-house and gate, and he will be required to keep them in good repair.

*Schedule of Rates.*

| | | Rs. | a. | p. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | On every four-wheeled carriage .. .. .. .. .. | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| 2 | Ditto two-wheeled carriage .. .. .. .. .. | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 3 | Ditto ekka .. .. .. .. .. | 0 | 4 | 0 |
| 4 | Ditto hackney on springs .. .. .. .. .. | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| 5 | Ditto cart and hackney, not on springs drawn by bullocks, buffaloes, horses .. .. .. .. .. | 1 | 8 | 0 |
| 6 | Ditto ditto if not laden .. .. .. .. | 0 | 8 | 0 |
| 7 | Ditto ditto 6 bullocks, &c., if laden .. .. .. | 0 | 12 | 0 |
| 8 | Ditto ditto ditto if not laden .. .. | 0 | 6 | 0 |
| 9 | Ditto ditto 4 bullocks, &c., if laden .. .. | 0 | 8 | 0 |
| 10 | Ditto ditto ditto if not laden .. .. | 0 | 4 | 0 |
| 11 | Ditto ditto 2 bullocks, &c., if laden .. .. | 0 | 4 | 0 |
| 12 | Ditto ditto ditto if not laden .. .. | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| 13 | Ditto buffalo or bullock per head, if laden .. .. | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| 14 | Ditto ditto ditto if not laden .. .. | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| 15 | Ditto elephant .. .. .. .. .. | 1 | 8 | 0 |
| 16 | Ditto camel, if laden .. .. .. .. | 0 | 8 | 0 |
| 17 | Ditto camel, if not laden .. .. .. .. | 0 | 4 | 0 |
| 18 | Ditto horse, if laden or ridden .. .. .. | 0 | 1 | 6 |
| 19 | Ditto horse, unladen or led .. .. .. | 0 | 0 | 9 |
| 20 | Ditto tattu or mule, if laden or ridden .. .. | 0 | 0 | 9 |
| 21 | Ditto ditto unladen or led .. .. .. | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| 22 | Ditto ass, if laden or ridden .. .. .. | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| 23 | Ditto ditto unladen or led .. .. .. | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 24 | Ditto sheep, goat or pig .. .. .. .. | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 25 | Ditto palanquin, dhooli or tonjon with 8 bearers .. .. | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 26 | Ditto ditto 6 ditto .. .. | 0 | 12 | 0 |
| 27 | Ditto ditto 4 ditto .. .. | 0 | 8 | 0 |
| 28 | Ditto ditto 2 ditto .. .. | 0 | 4 | 0 |

*N. B.*—No tolls will be levied on foot passengers.

*Notification, dated 14th February 1896.*

It is hereby notified for general information that the right of collecting Minor Forest produce in Government waste lands and District Forests, as per accompanying list, in the following Taluks of the Shimoga District for a period of twelve months, from 1st July 1896 to 30th June 1897, will be sold by public auction (subject to confirmation by the Deputy Commissioner) at each of the central Hoblis of each Taluk, where the produce is abundant, by the Amildar or Sheristadar of the respective Taluk in the month of March 1896, on the dates specified in the local Istihars to be issued by the Amildars :—

1. Shimoga
2. Channagiri
3. Honnali
4. Shikarpur
5. Sorab
6. Sagar
7. Nagar
8. Tirthahalli

2. The highest bidder shall, immediately on the contract being knocked down to him, pay a deposit of twenty-five per cent of the entire contract amount, and also furnish tangible surety for the due fulfilment of the contract. If he fails to do so, the contract will be re-sold at once at his risk, and he will be liable for any loss that may be caused to Government by the re-sale.

3. The accepted bidder shall enter on his contract on the 1st July 1896, and pay the balance of his contract amount in four equal monthly instalments commencing from 15th July 1896. Instalments not paid within the time fixed will be charged with interest at six per cent per annum.

4. Local cess of one anna per rupee will be charged on the entire contract amount to be paid.

5. Should there be failure or delay in the payment of any one of the instalments as aforesaid, the deposit money will be forfeited to Government, and the balance remaining recovered as Land Revenue demand from the Contractor primarily and in default from the surety.

6. The Contractor shall not interfere with the recognized rights of Inamdars.

7. The Deputy Commissioner reserves to himself the power of accepting or rejecting any bid without assigning any reasons therefor.

*List showing the Minor Forest produce of the Shimoga District to be sold by public auction in March 1896 :—*

| No. | Items. | Shimoga. | Channagiri. | Honnali. | Shikarpur. | Sorab. | Sagar. | Nagar. | Tirthahalli. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Bee's wax .. .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 2 | Gall-nut .. .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 3 | Soap-nut .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 4 | Marking-nut .. .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. |
| 5 | Gum .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | .. | .. |
| 6 | Hongé seeds .. .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 7 | Kadchagache seeds .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 8 | Antavaladakayi .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 9 | Kakkekayi .. .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 10 | Gurigeharalu .. .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 11 | Wild castor seeds .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| 12 | Kan pepper .. .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 13 | Kan cardamom .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 14 | Nisarani buds ... | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 15 | Halmaddi .. .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 16 | Hulagal seeds .. | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 17 | Wood apple .. .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 18 | Vatehuli .. .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 19 | Cinnamon buds .. | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 20 | Bendé fibre .. .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 21 | Wild olive seeds .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 22 | Silk cotton .. .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 23 | Tarekayi .. .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 24 | Kiri Ichal .. .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 25 | Pith .. .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 26 | Linseed .. .. | .. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 27 | Bolar bark .. .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 28 | Pot stone .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 29 | Rampatre or Kampatre .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |

*Notification, dated 26th January 1896.*

The exclusive right of transporting passengers, goods, vehicles, animals, &c., and of collecting tolls at the ferries specified in the annexed list will be put up to auction on the dates specified therein by the Amildar or Sheristadar at each Taluk, subject to the confirmation of the Deputy Commissioner.

2. The auction will begin at 12 noon on the days fixed, and will, if necessary, be continued on the following days.

3. The ferries will be leased out for twelve months from 1st July 1896 to 30th June 1897.

4. The monopoly covers only so much of the river as lies within 500 yards on each side of the ferry. The Deputy Commissioner forbids both the transports within these limits of passengers, &c., as aforesaid, and the collection of tolls therefor, except by or on behalf of the lessee or other person authorized by the Deputy Commissioner.

5. The accepted bidder shall, immediately on the declaration of the acceptance of his bid, produce before the officer conducting the sales one-fourth of the accepted bid, failing which, the lease will be re-sold at the first purchaser's risk.

6. The accepted bidder shall, within four days of the acceptance of the bid, execute, in favor of the Deputy Commissioner, a muchalika on a stamped paper with two tangible sureties for the due fulfilment of the contract, and deliver it to the Amildar or Sheristadar as the case may be; and thereupon the Deputy Commissioner will authorize the executant of the said mutchalika to enter into his contract. If the accepted bidder fails to execute and deliver the mutchalika, the lease will be re-sold or otherwise disposed of at the defaulting bidder's risk, the deposit already made being forfeited to Government.

7. Where there are no boats or "Tokaras," they shall be provided by the lessees at all the ferries. The boats kept by the lessees shall always be of the size and quality approved by the Deputy Commissioner, Executive Engineer, or Amildar.

8. Wherever boats and platforms are provided by Government, they shall be returned to Government on the termination of the lease or on being demanded by the Deputy Commissioner or other officer authorized by him, on the same condition on which they were supplied to him, subject only to reasonable wear and tear. Loss or damage arising from neglect or want of care shall be made good by the lessee. The lessee shall always be bound to keep the ferries or boats in good order and clean.

9. The lessee shall be entitled to collect tolls at the rates specified in the list hereto annexed, and no fee or toll shall be demanded on the cases enumerated below :—

(*a*) Government mails, stores and remittances, and all persons, animals, and vehicles employed in carrying the same.

(*b*) All Government officials including troops travelling on duty, and also in the case of Police officers, prisoners and property in their custody.

(*c*) All parties employed by Government servants to carry official reports, when so carrying such reports.

(*d*) Children under 12 years of age.

(*e*) The Deputy Commissioner is, at any time and for any length of time, at liberty to attach the ferry boats for the conveyance of troops, camp equipage and followers, and the contractors and their servants will be bound to give all reasonable assistance to ensure their speedy and safe carriage.

10. The balance of the contract amount shall be paid by the lessee to Government in nine monthly instalments commencing from July 1896, the deposit being credited to the last three "Khists." All payments shall be made in the Taluk Treasuries in which the ferry lies.

11. At each ferry a board showing the rates and the weight to be carried, should be put up in a conspicuous place by the lessee at all times, when the ferry is worked, excepting those places where provision is made by the Deputy Commissioner.

12. The Deputy Commissioner reserves to himself the power of accepting or rejecting any bid without assigning any reasons therefor.

13. The contractor shall have a sufficient number of boats in readiness at either side of the ferry and shall take care that mails, travellers, passengers, animals, carriages, &c., are not unnecessarily delayed whether by day or night, but are ferried over with expedition.

14. Every passenger crossing a ferry is allowed to carry with him his luggage not exceeding in weight an Indian maund without any additional fee for the same. Any quantity in excess of the above will be liable to an additional fee of one anna for each Indian maund or less.

15. Should the contractor be found to have acted contrary to any of the above rules, he shall, for every breach of such rules, be liable to a fine not exceeding Rs. 50, or as the Deputy Commissioner may deem fit.

| Taluk. | Class of Ferry. | Name of Ferry. | Date of auction. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Shimoga .. | 2nd class. | Holehonnur, Bhadra river .. .. .. | Saturday the 7th March 1896. |
| | 4th class. | Benkipur ditto .. .. .. | |
| | Ditto | Kagikodamagi ditto .. .. .. | |
| | Ditto | Kudli ditto .. .. .. | |
| | Ditto | Mangoti ditto .. .. .. | |
| | Ditto | Gaznur, Tunga river .. .. .. | |
| Honnali .. | 1st class. | Honnali, Tungabhadra river .. .. .. | Thursday the 12th March 1896. |
| | 4th class. | Kamargatte ditto .. .. .. | |
| | Ditto | Hiregonigere ditto .. .. .. | |
| | Ditto | Sasvehalli ditto .. .. .. | |
| | Ditto | Hanagavadi ditto .. .. .. | |
| | Ditto | Govinakovi ditto .. .. .. | |
| | Ditto | Chelur ditto .. .. .. | |
| Shikarpur.. | 4th class. | Kotta, Tungabhadra river .. .. | Monday the 16th March 1896. |
| | Ditto | Kalkoppa ditto .. .. .. | |
| | Ditto | Nimbegondi ditto .. .. .. | |
| | Ditto | Mugalgere ditto .. .. .. | |
| | Ditto | Churchagundi, Kumadvati river .. .. | |
| | Ditto | Isur ditto .. .. .. | |
| | Ditto | Basavanbalu ditto .. .. .. | |
| Sorab .. | 4th class. | Joladagudi, Varada river .. .. .. | Friday the 20th March 1896. |
| | Ditto | Kudavi ditto .. .. .. | |
| | Ditto | Ballibail ditto .. .. .. | |
| | Ditto | Kerehalli ditto .. .. .. | |
| | Ditto | Telagadde ditto .. .. .. | |
| | Ditto | Bankasana ditto .. .. .. | |
| | Ditto | Sabur ditto .. .. .. | |
| | Ditto | Hasave Honda .. .. .. | |
| | Ditto | Hadaga ditto .. .. .. | |
| Sagar .. | 4th class. | Kagarasi, Kusavati river .. .. .. | Thursday the 26th March 1896. |
| | Ditto | Edakunda, Herabashara .. .. .. | |
| | Ditto | Haleganakoppa, Puttur .. .. .. | |
| | Ditto | Setuholé, Hadakere .. .. .. | |
| | Ditto | Haraduru .. .. .. | |
| | Ditto | Channaguda .. .. .. | |
| | Ditto | Humse, Sarasvati river .. .. .. | |
| | Ditto | Hudlu ditto .. .. .. | |
| | Ditto | Suluru Kallagundi Saidur .. .. .. | |
| | Ditto | Kaute, Varada river .. .. .. | |
| Tirthahalli . | 4th class. | Mandagudde, Tunga river .. .. | Monday the 30th March 1896. |
| | Ditto | Byagavalli ditto .. .. | |
| | Ditto | Hoddur ditto .. .. | |
| | Ditto | Kodagi ditto .. .. .. | |
| | Ditto | Tirthamattur ditto .. .. .. | |
| | Ditto | Holekoppa ditto .. .. .. | |
| | Ditto | Hosapete ditto .. .. .. | |

*Schedule of Rates.*

| No. | Name. | 1st class. | 2nd class. | 3rd class. | 4th class. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | As. p. | As. p. | As. p. | As. p. |
| 1 | On every four-wheeled carriage .. .. | 12 0 | 8 0 | 6 0 | 6 0 |
| 2 | On every two-wheeled carriage (with springs) .. | 8 0 | 6 0 | 4 0 | 3 0 |
| 3 | On every loaded cart .. .. | 8 0 | 6 0 | 4 0 | 3 0 |
| 4 | On every empty cart .. .. | 5 0 | 4 0 | 3 0 | 2 0 |
| 5 | On every loaded horse, animal with horns, and mule. | 3 0 | 2 0 | 1 0 | 1 0 |
| 6 | Horse or tattu, loaded or unloaded .. .. | 3 0 | 2 0 | 1 0 | 1 0 |
| 7 | Unloaded horse, animal with horns, and mule .. | 2 0 | 1 0 | 0 6 | 0 6 |
| 8 | Ass, if laden or not laden .. .. | 1 0 | 1 0 | 0 6 | 0 6 |
| 9 | Camel (loaded or unloaded) .. .. | 4 0 | 3 0 | 2 0 | 2 0 |
| 10 | Sheep and goat .. .. | 0 3 | 0 3 | 0 1 | 0 1 |
| 11 | Palanquin .. . | 12 0 | 8 0 | 8 0 | 4 0 |
| 12 | Dhooli or tonjon .. .. | 6 0 | 4 0 | 4 0 | 2 0 |
| 13 | For every man and woman (except children of 12 years of age). . .. .. | 1 0 | 0 6 | 0 3 | 0 3 |

M. KRISHNAIENGAR, for *Dy. Comr.*

## MYSORE DISTRICT.

List of Excess Amount of Fees and Penalties refundable to the Presenters of Documents in the Sub-Registry offices of the Mysore District for the month of December 1895.

| Names of Sub-Registry Offices. | Names of Presenters of Documents. | Date of Document. | Nature of Document. | Excess Amount of Fees and Penalties refundable. | Grounds for the refund. | Date before which the application for refund should be made by the party entitled to it. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| | | | | Rs. a. p. | | |
| T. Narsipur ... | Krishnaiya, Shanbhog, residing at Karuhatti. | 30th June 1895. | Hypothication deed for Rs. 150. | 2 0 0 | Registration refused. | 7th March 1896. |
| Chamrajnagar. | Puttamadágauda Patel, residing at Honganur, Chamrajnagar Taluk. | 14th March 1895. | Sale deed for Rs. 100. | 1 0 0 | Ditto | |
| Malvalli ... | Mantádaiya, son of Panchalada Siddaiya, residing at Kondágahalli. | 1st April 1895. | Sale deed for Rs. 86. | 0 8 0 | Ditto | |
| Mandya ... | Puttamma wife of Bhaskarasetti, residing at Channapatna. | 15th July 1895. | Lease bond. | 1 0 0 | Excess recovered. | |

B. K. VENKATAVARADAIENGAR, *District Registrar.*

## CHITALDRUG DISTRICT.

*Notification, dated 3rd February* 1896.

It is hereby notified that under the provisions of Rule 13 of Forest Rules of 8th June 1878, the undermentioned State Forests and Plantation are closed to the public for the hot season from 1st February to 31st May 1896. Shooting of any kind is entirely prohibited during the above period. All trespassers will be liable to prosecution.

1. Jogimatti State Forest .. .. . Chitaldrug Taluk.
2. Nirthadi State Forest and Plantation .. .. Davangere do

M. S. NARAYANA RAO, *Ag. Dy. Comr.*